



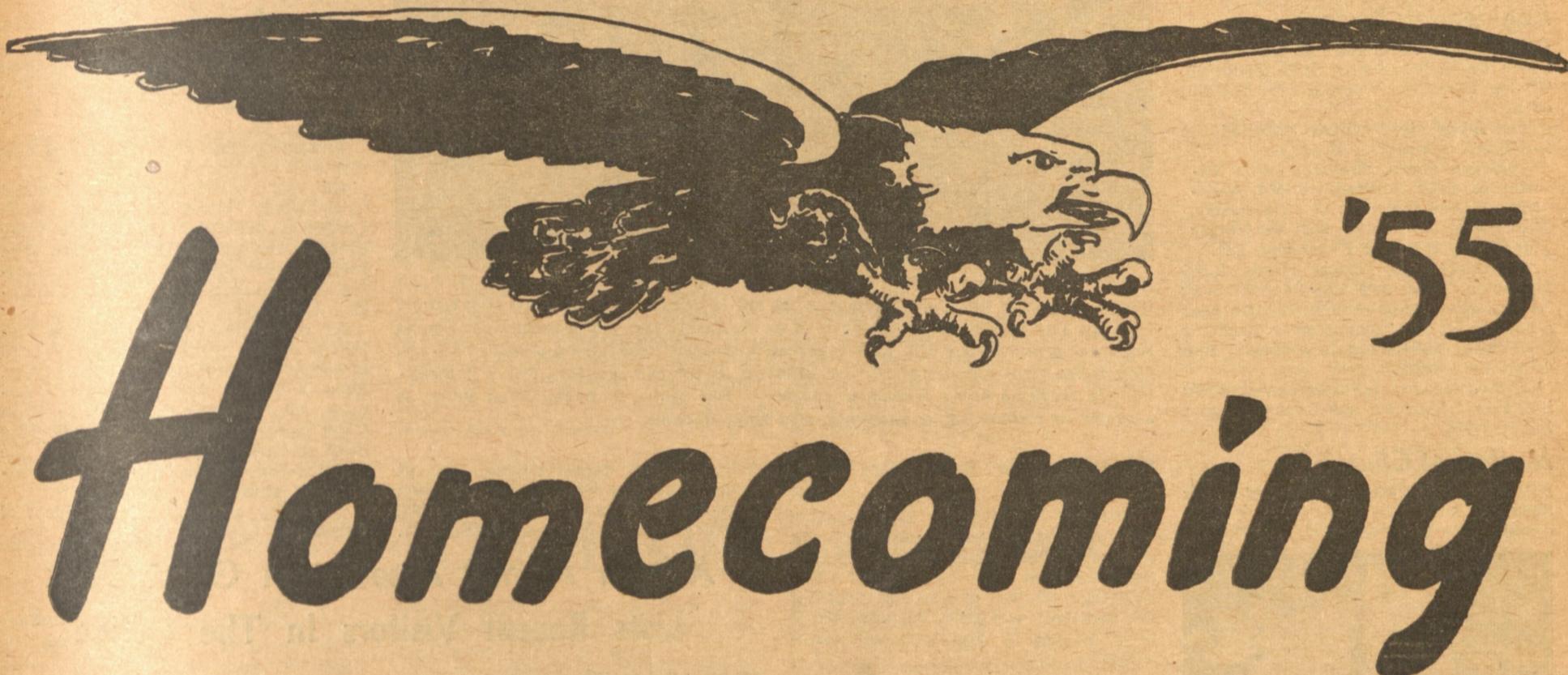
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Auburn Alumni Association, Auburn, Alabama



Homecoming '55

FRIDAY

November 4

1- 6 p.m. Registration for All Alumni
Alumni Office, Auburn Union

7- 9 p.m. Reunion Dinners

Class of 1905
Class of 1909
Class of 1915
Class of 1930

7:00 p.m. Stomp State Pep Rally-Parade
Students and alumni will gather at Ross Square, march through downtown Auburn and back to Cliff Hare Stadium for rally

8:00 p.m. Alumni Assn. Open House
Dairyland Farms on Opelika Highway
Barbecue and snacks free
All alumni invited

8:00 p.m. Free Pep Dance
Union Terrace

8:15 p.m. "Man Who Came To Dinner"
Comedy by Auburn Players, Y Hut

SATURDAY

November 5

8-10 a.m. Morning Coffee
Lobby, Auburn Union

8-10 a.m. Registration for All Alumni
Lobby, Auburn Union

8:30-10:30 Bus Tours of the Campus
Buses will leave front of Union Building every 30 minutes for one-hour tour

10:00 a.m. Alumni Association Meeting
Banquet Rooms, Auburn Union
Pres. Thomas F. Hobart, '27, presiding

11:30 a.m. Reunion Luncheon
Ballroom, Auburn Union
Classes of 1905, 1909, 1915, 1930

2:00 p.m. Auburn vs. Mississippi State
Cliff Hare Stadium

8-12 p.m. Homecoming Dance
Student Activities Building

8:15 p.m. "Man Who Came To Dinner"
Comedy by Auburn Players, Y Hut

Largest enrollment in history

Auburn Enrolls 7,904 Students

AUBURN HAS MARKED up a new enrollment record.

Alabama Polytechnic Institute's 1955 fall quarter registration totaled 7,904, giving the college the largest student body in its 83-year history. This is 244 more than the previous high of 7,660 set in 1948.

College Registrar Charles W. Edwards, '20, said he believed enrollment would have reached 10,000 this fall "if housing had been available."

Housing was definitely the factor which limited the enrollment. However, the final registration figures are somewhat higher than the 7,500 predicted before the fall quarter opened. The 1954 registration total was 7,059.

Engineering largest

OF THE 7,904 students, 28 per cent or 2,204 are in the School of Engineering. This is an increase of 602 over the fall of 1954.

The other eight schools enrolled the following numbers of students:

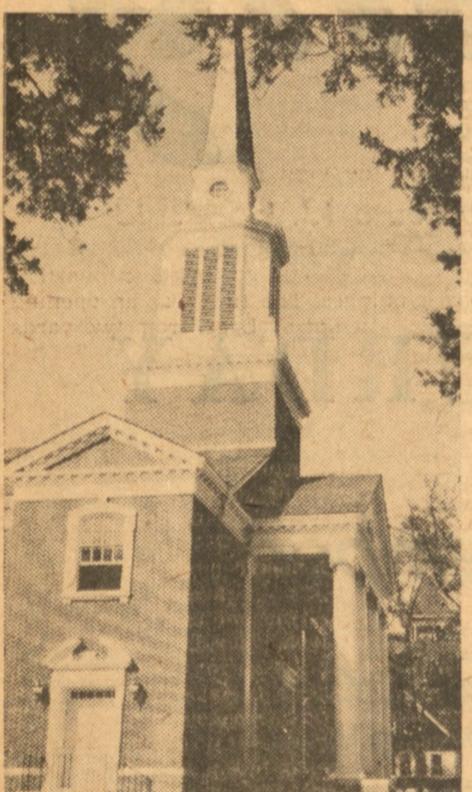
Science and Literature, 1,448; Education, 1,432; Agriculture, 691; Architecture and the Arts, 523; Chemistry, 326; Home Economics, 301; Veterinary Medicine, 258; and Pharmacy, 221.

Registration by classes finds 2,500 freshmen. There are 1,856 sophomores; 1,605 juniors; 1,282 seniors; 78 fifth year students (in architecture and veterinary medicine); 538 graduate students; and 45 special students.

The ratio of men to women students is 3.4 to 1. Auburn has 6,153 men and 1,761 coeds.

Methodist Church

FIRST SERVICES in Auburn's new \$380,000 Methodist Church were conducted Sept. 25 by the Rev. Joel D. Mc-



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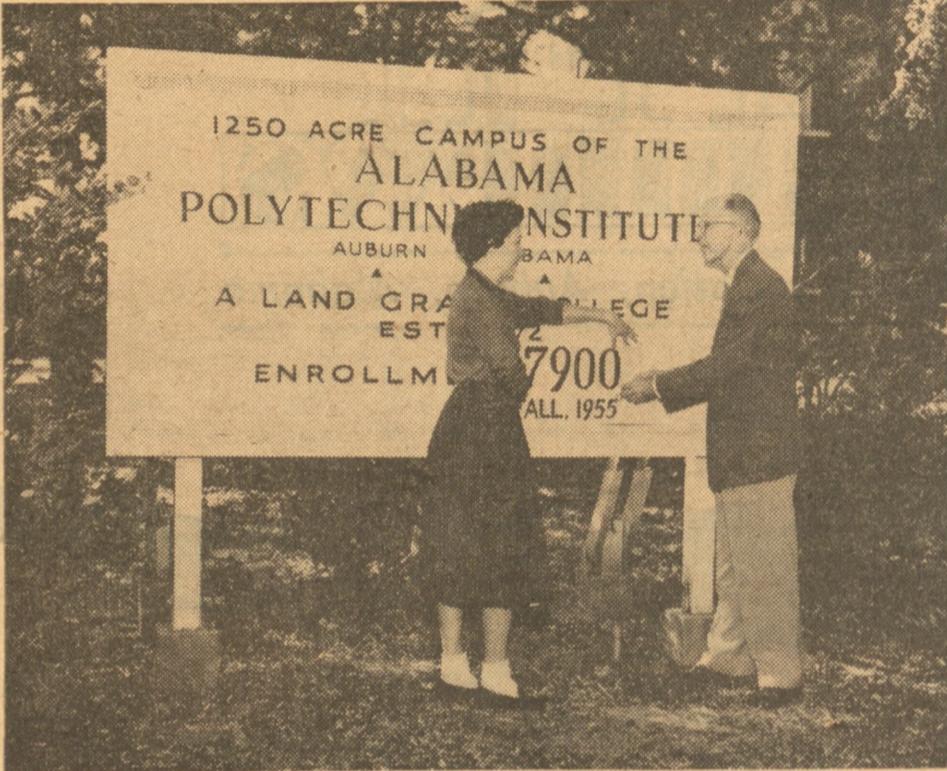
PRESIDENT: Thomas F. Hobart, '27; EXECUTIVE SECRETARY: Joseph B. Sarver, Jr., '37; EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: Rex Sikes, '31; T. A. (Bo) Russell, Jr., '39; W. Cameron Mitchell, '35; Frank G. Crow, '26; James A. Naftel, '26; John Lewis Reese, '24; Clyde C. Pearson, '26.

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The Alumnews staff consists of Mim Simms, '46, editor; Bill Beckwith, '51, sports editor; Frances Tarver, circula-



AUBURN'S 7,900th student is Mrs. Nora Evelyn Odom Perry of Decatur. With the help of Registrar Charles W. Edwards, '20, she is bringing the Alabama Polytechnic Institute sign on College Street up-to-date. Replacing last year's enrollment figures are the big numerals 7,900. Late registration carried 1955 fall enrollment to 7,904. One of the large number of married students on the campus, Mrs. Perry is a sophomore studying home economics education. Her husband, Bobby Dean Perry, is a senior in mechanical engineering, also from Decatur.

David, pastor, and Bishop Clare Purcell of Birmingham.

The new building lies to the east of the former Methodist Church, which will now be used as a chapel. Of colonial design, the new church will seat 1,050. Pews are white oak and the walls of the sanctuary are gray. An educational unit includes 13 Sunday school classrooms.

George G. Blau, '30, of Atlanta, was architect for the new church.

The Methodist Church is Auburn's oldest. It was organized in 1837, and the first log church-schoolhouse was built on the present site. In 1850 a white frame church replaced the original structure. This was remodeled, enlarged and brick veneered in 1899. The building was used for Methodist services for the next 56 years with only minor repairs and alterations.

Stained-glass windows will be placed in the sanctuary of the new church later.

The Rev. Ashland Shaw, '51, is director of Methodist student work (Wesley Foundation).

"Danny" fellow

API'S FOURTH Danforth Fellow is spending a year on the campus as an intern in Christian living. She is Deborah Brewster of Yankton, S.D., a 1955 graduate of Colorado College, Colo.

Her work is with student organizations, the Student Council on Religious

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Among new student religious workers at Auburn this fall are Richard C. Spain, formerly a school teacher of Bremen, Ga., now Baptist student director; and Mrs. Nancy Brown Owen, '47, Presbyterian student worker. (See Alumnus).

The Rev. David W. Friedrichs, formerly of Columbus, Miss., has been installed as new pastor of Auburn's Trinity Lutheran Church. He also serves as student pastor for Lutheran students at API.

The Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) is holding Sunday morning services in Thach Auditorium. A proposed church and student center building will later be constructed on Cox Street.

Mortar Board

INSTALLATION of Auburn's women's honorary, Sphinx, as the 95th national chapter of Mortar Board will be held at Auburn's Social Center at 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 13.

The installation and initiation of new members will be a public ceremony.

All alumnae of Sphinx or Cardinal Key (senior women's honorary which combined with Sphinx in 1952) may become members of Mortar Board upon initiation. Membership can not be transferred to Mortar Board without initiation, however.

Alumnae interested in affiliating with Mortar Board are asked to send \$12.50 initiation fee to Miss Katharine Cater, Dean of Women, Social Center API, Auburn, Ala., no later than Oct. 29. Dean Cater pointed out that the initiation has been set for the Sunday following the Auburn-Georgia game for the convenience of alumnae.

Lucy Roy of Auburn is president of Sphinx.

Auburn Alumni Association Guest Book

Lists Recent Visitors In The Office

MORE AND MORE alumni are visiting the Auburn Alumni Association headquarters in the Auburn Union building each month.

Alumni Secretary Joseph B. Sarver, Jr., '37, invited all returning alumni to come by the alumni offices and to register in the Association's guest book.

Among the visitors to the office from July to Oct. 1 were the following alumni:

Sam H. Browne, '01, Brookhaven, Miss.; Lee Wharton, '01, Gadsden; George B. Foss, '04, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Mose Frank, '08, Montgomery; Carl Wilmore, '08, Birmingham; G. W. (Doc) Penton, '09, Montgomery; W. A. Redd, Jr., '09, Union Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Boyd, Sr., '14, Montgomery; N. G. Hubbard, '15, Birmingham; H. D. Baker, '17, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Helen Blasingame (J.H.) Jackson, '19, Jacksonville, Fla.

Reuben L. Johnson, '20, Atlanta; Harold Walker, '20, Birmingham; J. G. Andrews, '22, River View; James F. Holt, '22, Houston, Tex.; James W. Thornton, '22, Montgomery; Harry W. Watkins, '22, Birmingham; Julian H. Jackson, '23, Jacksonville, Fla.; George M. Keller, '24, Bartow, Fla.; William D. Drake, '25, Attalla; R. R. Easter, '26, Fairhope; Ralph M. Godwin, '26, Jackson, Miss.; Louis W. Howle, '26, Atlanta; Col. Terrell E. Phillips, '26, Langley Air Force Base, Va.; Roy S. Grooms, '27, Atlanta; William G. Gilchrist, Jr., '28, Decatur; A. B. Johnson, '29, New Orleans, La.; Luther A. Smith, '29, Jackson, Miss.; Roe F. Tinsley, '29, Old Greenwich, Conn.

A. E. Burnett, '30, Birmingham; L. Lee Sledge, '30, Gadsden; Samuel S. Steward, '30, Route 1, Adger; W. B. Story, '30, Livingston; Lt. Col. William W. Hill, Jr., '31, Fort Bliss, Tex.; John W. Wilson, '31, Birmingham; H. M. (Happy) Davis, '32, Valdosta, Ga.; John B. Dunbar, '32, Montgomery; C. A. Rose, '32, West Providence, La.; Frank C. Mittell, '33, Los Angeles, Calif.; L. Preston Whorton, '33, Dallas, Tex.; Lt. Col. Joe L. Fincher, '34, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; J. F. Moore, Jr., '34, Sheffield.

Bama Lynn Ayres, '35, Birmingham; A. M. Ellenburg, '35, Webster Groves, Mo.; Harry A. MacEwen, '35, Albany, Ga.; Parker Preston Powell, Jr., '35, Edwardsville, Ill.; George J. Burris, III, '37, Marietta, Ga.; M. S. Corr, '37, Clinton, Iowa; Lyman Bird, '38, Phenix City; Holland E. Cox, Jr., '38, Birmingham; Hugh S. Owen, Jr., '38, Geneva; Wales W. Wallace, '38, Houston, Tex.; John E. Daniels, '39, Birmingham; Bertha Kahn, '39, Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. Dwain

G. Luce, '39, Mobile; William B. Ott, Jr., '39, Avondale Estates, Ga.; J. L. Phillips, Jr., '39, Beckley, W. Va.

Everett S. Brooks, '40, Huntsville; W. A. Buce, '40, Bacchus, Utah; Dr. Grover D. Cloyd, '42, Cincinnati, Ohio; Olen Jones, '42, Birmingham; Mrs. Maxine Downey (Knox S.) Long, '42, Montgomery; Leon Marr Sahag, Jr., '42, Rockford, Ill.; Redding S. Sugg, Jr., '43, Atlanta; Mrs. Bea Pearson (W. W.) Cauley, '45, Opelika; Dr. Council C. Sapp, Jr., '45, Albany, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Cadenhead, Jr., '46, (Margaret "Peggy" Shugart, '46) Tulsa, Okla.; Dr. and Mrs. Freeman M. Fuller, Jr., '47, College Station, Tex.; Annie Laura Newell, '47, Tuscaloosa; R. D. Northcutt, '47, Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. S. Bailey, '48, (Virginia Glasscock, '48) Prospect Heights, Ill.; Frank E. Boyd, Jr., '48, Birmingham; Jan Drake, '48, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Fred S. Jones, Jr., '48, Birmingham; M. B. Orr, '48, Talladega; Henry G. Pitchford, '48, San Jose, Calif.; Robert W. Tribble, '48, Decatur, Ga.; James J. W. Biggers, Jr., '49, Columbus, Ga.; E. Thomas Malone, '49, Jacksonville; E. Burt Vardaman, '49, Tuscaloosa.

L. Milton Adams, '50, Opelika; Zeke Campbell, '50, Sylacauga; Doyle L. Cobb, '50, Birmingham; Fred E. Digesu, '50, Huntsville; Edward L. Goodson, '50, Leeds; Dr. W. L. Taylor, '50, Arab; James A. Thompson, '50, Waycross, Ga.; James H. Akin, '51, Crossville; Maj. and Mrs. William W. Edwards, '51, (Billie Crocker, '52) Bryan, Tex.; David C. Open, '51, Philadelphia, Penn.; Mrs. Geneva L. Baker, '52, Tullahoma, Tenn.; Marcia Bowers, '52, Prattville; Dr. J. R. Reynolds, Jr., '52, Cleveland, Tenn.; N. B. Reynolds, Jr., '52, Arlington, Tex.; Reese Slaughter, '52, Dadeville.

Richard C. Beall, '53, Royal Oak, Mich.; Dr. R. A. Glass, '53, Jacksonville, N. C.; Max Hall, '53, Hartselle; Lt. Kened M. Helton, '53, Fort Benning, Ga.; Stuart Leach, '53, University of Alabama; First Lt. Paul E. Sikorski, '53, Fort Benning, Ga.; T. Sewell Williams, '53, New Orleans, La.; Dr. Luther T. Albert, '54, Madison, Wis.; John B. Cotton, '54, Birmingham; Joe B. Davis, Jr., '54, New Orleans, La.; Lt. Roger A. Everett, '54, Mobile; Jo Anne Lucci, '54, Montgomery; Lt. William H. Watson, '54, Fort Benning, Ga.; John N. Yauger, '54, Birmingham; Joe F. Borland, '55, Hartford; Martha Foss, '55, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Betty Jean James, '55, Arlington, Va.; and Harry P. Owens, '55, Hurtsboro.

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Tigers Win Two, Tie Kentucky

By Bill Hutto, '56

IN THEIR FIRST three games of the 1955 menu, the Auburn Tigers did not develop into a juggernaut. But the pre-season speculation that they would be one of the nation's peskiest football teams continued to hold water.

Chattanooga's stubborn Moccasons came to town in the Sept. 24 opener. They put up a scrap before they were felled 15-6 by a pair of beautiful runs by Fob James and a quick defensive maneuver by Joe Childress.

Florida was mastered 13-0 on the next Saturday. Auburn folk raided the turnstiles 26,000 times to set a new Tiger attendance mark for Cliff Hare Stadium.

Then the scene shifted to Birmingham's Legion Field Oct. 8 and a highly anticipated game with Kentucky. The final result was a 14-14 draw. When the dust had settled, each squad was reassured that the other had a very good ball team.

The Plainsmen were considered as tough as any team around the Southland as they looked to Atlanta and their Oct. 15 war with Georgia Tech. They owned an impressive statistics sheet. But no one knew better than Auburn's Tigers that statistics sheets don't win football games.

Left Halfback Fob James, the Lanett senior with the crafty broken-field routine, rode into the Yellow Jacket fracas as the third top rusher in the nation. He held number nine spot in national total offense.

Fullback Joe Childress, a serious All-America contender, teamed up with James to give the War Eagles as powerful a one-two punch as existed anywhere in the conference.

The team itself had earned its national notice. After a trio of battles, Auburn ranked second in team defense and fifth in pass defense.

Auburn 15, 'Nooga 6

SINCE MOST of the 16,000 present were looking for a carbon copy of 1954's 45-0 rout, a mild letdown for onlookers accompanied the Plainsmen's debut with Chattanooga. The Auburn partisans were

In the 15-6 Tiger win, it was James who paced the War Eagles. The shifty operative sifted through 'Nooga defense 14 times for 178 yards—an average of 12.7 per shift. Fob scored both Auburn touchdowns on crowd-raising trips of 61 and 76 yards. The little 170-pound halfback earned the majority of Jordan's post-game plaudits for his afternoon's toil.

The Tiger safety took place when Childress broke through the Moc resistance to block a punt, chase down the recoveree and smear him in the end zone.

Auburn 13, Florida 0

THINGS PICKED up considerably in Auburn circles after the Plainsmen turned back a well thought of Florida team 13-0 at Cliff Hare Stadium the following week.

The record crowd saw Auburn win its ninth straight game. James donated another touchdown to the cause. And there was a new face on the scoring scene in this one.

Right Halfback Jimmy Powell, a senior from Dora who had seen virtually no service in his first three seasons on the Plains, plugged through for a TD from two yards away after senior Quarterback Bill Burbank had engineered the Tigers down to that point.

Soph sensations Jimmy (Red) Phillips, the rangy end, and Tim Baker, the hard-hitting guard, saved the day for Auburn twice against the Gators. Both pulled down touchdown-bound Floridians without assistance. Quarterback Jimmy Cook led the first Tiger score.

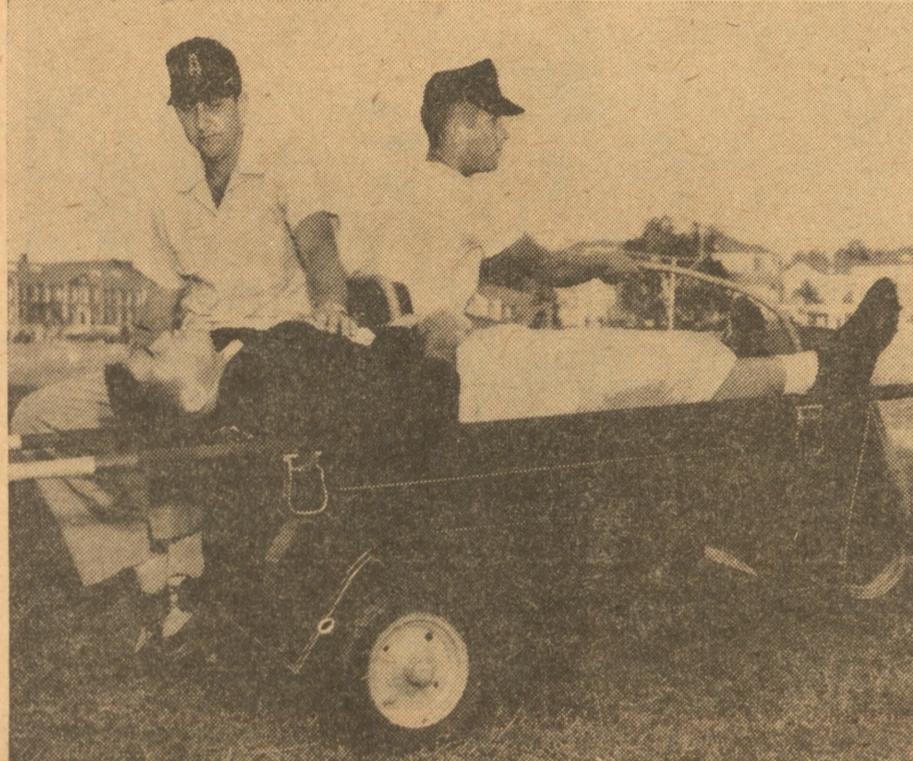
Auburn 14, Kentucky 14

THE KENTUCKY deadlock proved to be a trying experience for Shug's men. The tossing arm of Wildcats Quarterback Bob Hardy gave the Blue Grass Colonels an early-game TD.

Breaks were about even in this one. The Tigers cashed in on their scoring chances only twice during the afternoon. Auburn's initial touchdown was made possible when James intercepted a Cat aerial on Kentucky's 34. Childress did the honors from two yards out.

James himself carried the final mission on Auburn's second score of the day. He sped 68 yards for the TD.

The Tigers attempted a trio of field goals, but all fell short of their mark.



THIS IS ONE PIECE of equipment that Auburn coaches are hoping they won't put into service. It is a four-cylinder, electric powered cart, to be used as a "football ambulance." The cart, designed and made at Agricola Furnace Co. in Gadsden, was donated to the Auburn Athletic Association by Otto Agricola, II, '45, of Gadsden. Halfback Alton Shell is demonstrating how an injured football player may be taken off the field on the cart. Manager John Ross drives the ambulance and Trainer Kenny Howard, '46, looks after the "injured" player.

Snitz Snider, '29

Coach Of Champions

THOSE BESSEMER Purple Tigers consistently rank among the top high school football teams of the country.

The man responsible is Eul Snider, '29—a man who is serving his 23rd season at Bessemer. He is a keen student of the technical aspects of athletics, and knows how to develop the finest qualities in his boys.

As his record proves, he also knows how to develop the finest qualities in a football team. Snider moved up to head coach at Bessemer in 1933. That year his undefeated Tigers won eight and tied one. The overall record—starred with state championships for each of the five undefeated seasons—reads 125 victories, 37 losses and five ties.

In three of the past four years—1951, 1952 and 1954—the undefeated Purple Tigers have won the Alabama high school championship trophies.

Olympic sprinter

"SNITZ WAS an inspirational leader in college," according to Auburn Track Coach Wilbur Hutsell. Coach Hutsell pointed out that Snider captained the 1928 track team.

A champion athlete, he established a new American record of 48 seconds for the 400 meter at 1928 U. S. Olympic trials in Philadelphia, Penn. He later ran 400 meters at the meet in Amsterdam, Holland, becoming the first of Auburn's four Olympic Games competitors. Others were Percy Beard, in 1932, Whitey Overton, 1948, and Jim Dillion, 1952.

Snitz's quarter-mile record stood at Auburn for more than 20 years. One of Snider's own students—Don Johnson—set the new mark. (Don, recently discharged from Army service, has returned to the Plains and will be running for Auburn next spring.)

In addition to his track activities, Snitz lettered in baseball and football. He was graduated with a bachelor's degree from the School of Education. A one-year coaching stint brought him as assistantship at Bessemer in 1930.

He was married to the former Breezie Burton, also a native of Jefferson County, in 1934.

Athletic director

AFTER THREE years as assistant, the young athlete was named Bessemer's head coach. The names Snider and Bessemer have been synonymous in sports circles almost ever since.

There was one separation—during World War II. Coach Snider served at Birmingham's Howard College under the Navy's wartime program in 1942.

and 1943. He returned to his Purple Tigers in 1944.

Eul Snider's title is athletic director of Bessemer High School. Football activities, though the best known, are only a part of the Bessemer athletic picture. The school fields teams in all major sports. Purple Tiger track teams have produced many state championships.

During the summers, Coach Snider supervises the entire recreation program for the City of Bessemer.

The coach believes athletics should contribute to the educational program of the school. "A boy pays a big price to play football," he has said. "If he doesn't become a better man for doing it and if the rest of the students didn't benefit from the program, it wouldn't be worth having."

The fact that Bessemer's program is well "worth having" was recognized by that city last December. His former students, including many college football players and Bessemer citizens, celebrated Snitz Snider Day. A new car and a check were presented to Coach Snider. In addition he received letters and telegrams of tribute from fellow coaches and former players.

The coach's own coach, Auburn's Wilbur Hutsell, described Snider as a "great leader of boys and men. His disposition makes it a pleasure to be around him. Add it all up and you'll find that Snitz Snider is one of the finest Auburn men anywhere."



SNITZ SNIDER, '29

Tiger Cubs Chalk Up Ties With Georgia, Florida Freshmen

THE 37-MAN squad of eager Auburn Tiger Cubs this season can't seem to escape "dat ole debbil"—the tie.

Coach Dick McGowen, '42, and his aides have turned their protégés loose against Georgia and Florida in games away from the Plains. On both occasions, the Tiger Cubs have come home with a draw.

The Georgians greeted their Auburn guests Oct. 3 with a 6-6 deadlock and the Gainesville affair Oct. 10 ended 13-13.

The prime prospect on the squad is young Tommy Lorino, the Bessemer wizard on everybody's All-America team last year. Tommy has not been a ball-of-fire in the opening contests, but nobody's worried about him. He has a wealth of talent. Before he hangs up his cleats at Auburn, Tiger coaches feel that he'll produce for them.

Auburn 6, Georgia 6

IN THE GEORGIA game, the Tiger yearlings called on a pass play from Quarterback George Egge to End Rich Kreitling, the rangy flanker from Chicago, for their only score. The play covered 44 yards: 19 on the flip and 25 more on a strut by the Chicagoan. Egge comes from Hayward, Calif. He is the son of Col. George Egge, Sr., '32, an Auburn standout in the late twenties and early thirties.

Lorino's conversion attempt was wide. That wrapped up the Cub scoring for the day. All this was first-period action.

Georgia evened up the count in the second stanza when Quarterback Charlie Byars sneaked across from the one to climax a 43-yard drive. Carl Manning missed the vital point.

Auburn 13, Florida 13

AGAINST THE Little Gators both Auburn scores were registered on quarterback plunges. The first was an opening period attempt by Egge, from two yards out. The play was the finale of a 63-yard march covered in 11 plays.

In the second period, the Baby Gators tried a fourth down on their 12. Booter Jimmy Dunn was tackled on the one-yard line. The Auburn scoring honor belonged to Tiger Quarterback Richard Wood, a Lanett boy who stands 6 feet, 5 inches in height.

Auburn End Jerry Wilson, who missed his first extra point attempt, connected after the last marker.

Florida scored twice: a 72-yard pass-run in the second quarter and a final quarter tally set up by a 44-yard pass.

Lorino's talented right foot caused considerable eyebrow-lifting when he sent a booming punt 66 yards into the ozone. He brought home a 41.3 kicking average for the game.

The final game on the Baby Tiger agenda is an Oct. 24 engagement with the highly regarded Alabama freshmen at Cliff Hare Stadium in Auburn. Kickoff time is 2 p.m.

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James, Childress Break Gafford's Rushing Mark

NOT ONE, but two, 1955 Tigers have broken the all-time Tiger rushing record set by Monk Gafford, '43.

Gafford, a halfback on Jack Meagher's teams of 1940-42, contributed 1,435 yards to Auburn's cause during his three years as a varsity player. His average gain was 7.65 yards in 1942.

After 13 years, the Gafford record was broken twice in the single Auburn game against Kentucky. Fob James, Jr., and Joe Childress turned the trick.

Halfback James pushed his four-year total to 1,494 yards for the new Auburn record. He gained 360 yards in the first three games of the 1955 season. Fullback Childress also passed Gafford's mark by 55 yards in the Kentucky game. His total on Oct. 8 was 1,490 yards during his college career, just four yards behind the James' record.

James and Childress were scheduled to play seven more games in the 1955 season, and both are bound to set new records for the Tigers.

In Chicago, Michigan

New Auburn Clubs Started

AUBURN ALUMNI in the Chicago area met Sept. 15 at the Congress Hotel to discuss the possibility of forming an Auburn Club. Those attending scheduled another meeting for Oct. 13.

After a social hour, movies of the Auburn-Georgia 1954 football game were shown.

James M. (Jim) Hunnicutt, '50, has spearheaded the attempts to establish a new Auburn Club in Chicago.

Other alumni attending the meeting were R. M. Bostick, '16, Charles F. Moreland, '15, Peter T. Gilliam, '41, James G. Brown, '39, H. B. Park, Jr., '46, W. L. Key, '52, Tom Beasley, '09, Eugene F. Mulhall, '52, James C. Lombardo, '51, W. T. Boozer, '51, H. P. Hodges, '07, William Oyler, '28, William A. McGinty, '48.

Michigan

ORGANIZATION of an Auburn Club of Michigan was started at a meeting in Jackson, Mich., July 7 and further plans were made Sept. 9.

William L. White, '14, of Jackson was elected president. Other officers are John T. Wheeler, '40, Grosse Pointe, vice president; and Mrs. Freida Duke Stahl, '50, Dearborn, secretary.

Both meetings were held at the Hayes Hotel in Jackson.

Alumni attending included Sefton H. Carden, '47, Homer; Charles M. Scales, '48, Berkley; Willard F. Stahl, '50, Dearborn; Robert E. Adams, '49, Dearborn; Mr. and Mrs. Weiland B. LaNicca, '27, Farmington; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. McDonough, '51, Big Rapids, and the officers.

Plans for a meeting in the Detroit area have been made for Nov. 12. Mr. John T. Wheeler, '40, 19298 Raymond, Grosse Pointe 36, Mich., is in charge of arrangements.

Hammond D. Baker, '17, 2832 East Grand Boulevard, Detroit, Mich., has arranged a meeting of alumni in the Detroit area for Oct. 19.

Doraville, Ga.

THE GATOR BOWL sound-color movie was shown to 25 persons at a meeting of Auburn alumni in Doraville, Ga., Sept. 1.

Doraville Mayor Ed Heibel, '51, presided at the business session.

Alumni Secretary Joseph B. Sarver, Jr., '37, discussed the program of the



MEMBERS OF THE MEXICO Auburn Club were entertained at their July meeting by Mrs. Maria de los Angeles de Leon Ortega, who sang folk songs and played the guitar. Attending the meeting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Forrest Henderson, '43, in Mexico City were seated (left to right) Mrs. M. G. Dunn, Mrs. Ortega, Mrs. Clinton Kaminis, Miss Ernestina Esquivel, Mrs. Henderson and daughter, Sherrill; standing, Dr. Walter Reinking, '33, Enrique Silva R., '38, Ernesto Lopez, '12, Jesus Silva R., '38, M. G. Dunn, '35, Dr. Clinton N. Kaminis, '43, and Dr. Henderson.

Auburn Alumni Association and its services to API.

Attending were Edward Tarver, '49, Robert Kroner, '51, Mrs. Sara Harvey Kroner, '51, John Street, '50, Mrs. Chris Malone Street, '52, Ted Kingsford, '50, Mrs. Jean Kingsford, '50, Jean Cates, '52, Claude N. Coker, Clyde Pruitt, Jr., '50, Cullen M. Ward, '46, C. H. Wilkerson, '28, William Crozier, '49, Atlanta.

F. Mosher, '49, P. E. Pierce, Chamblee; Hershel Owens, '51, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Maxwell Owens, '52, Joel Graves, '48, Mrs. Elizabeth Clinkscales Graves, '46, Decatur; Oswald B. Williams, George Johnson, '39, Norcross.

James A. Cranford, '50, Mrs. Bobbie Sullivan Cranford, '48, Donald J. Siebert, '48, W. E. Glasscock, '46, Taylor Lumpkin, '48, J. E. Webster, Carl S. Jones, '50, Mary Morrow Jones, '52, E.

A. Heibel, '51, James Seay, '47, Donna Sims Seay, '46 and Walter Crowe, Doraville.

Morgan-Limestone

PRESIDENT GILMER BLACKBURN, '50, presided at a meeting of the Limestone-Morgan County Auburn Club in Decatur's Gas and Electric Building Sept. 8.

Thirty alumni watched films of the 1954 Auburn-Georgia game.

Joseph B. Sarver, Jr., alumni secretary, outlined the work of the Alumni Association in a brief speech.

Alumni attending the meeting include W. G. (Bill) Simpson, '21, Claude H. McBride, Jr., '49, Ed Price, '27, F. C. Giddens, '49, R. L. Hundley, '50, Dr. Ray Ashwander, '42, W. J. (Bud) Bryan, '54, Julian Harris, '25, J. T. Tatum, '28,

Harold W. Smith, '41, Cecil McMillan, '29, Alvin G. Briscoe, '43, Mrs. Phyllis Birdsong Blackburn, '51, Carl J. Young, '44, R. B. Freeman, Sam J. McClure, '43, Decatur; Robert Perry, '34, Hartselle; H. L. Long, '30, Falkville; Lyman C. Jones, '39, Delwood Flanagan, '34, Athens.

Columbus, Ga.

DOUGLAS FAULKNER, '43, was elected president of the Columbus, Ga., Auburn Club at the annual meeting at the Columbus Country Club Aug. 30.

Other new officers are Charles Dameron, '47, secretary; and Don Hunter, '40, treasurer.

After watching the color-sound film of the Gator Bowl, Columbus alumni heard Coach Jordan call the 1954 Tigers "the best team in the United States at the close of the season." In discussing the 1955 season, the Auburn coach said, "We are rated high in the national picture and hope to live up to it."

Jimmy Biggers, '49, retiring president of the Columbus Club, introduced Joe Sarver, '37, Auburn Alumni secretary.

Middle Tennessee

"HACK AND MACK" Night was observed by the Middle Tennessee Auburn Club in Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 9, when about 50 Auburn alumni turned out to honor W. S. Hackworth, '16, and Carl McFarlin, '16, at a dinner meeting.

Mr. Hackworth has been president of the N.C. and St. L. Railroad since 1935. Mr. McFarlin was recently named executive vice president of Merritt-Chapman and Scott Corp., in charge of the company's chemical, paint and metallurgical division. He is a former president of Tennessee Products and Chemical Corp. Both are active Auburn alumni.

J. H. Ford, '23, paid tribute to the two honor guests. Herbert Corson, famous Nashville toastmaster, performed his regular duties at the speaker's table.

M. H. (Big Boy) Nabors, '26, was elected president of the club. He succeeded George Humphries, '51, who became a director.

Other officers elected are George Perry, '38, first vice president; Ewell Conwell, '28, second vice president; Ralph Langreck, '50, secretary; Jim Naftel, '49, treasurer. Directors are Mr. Hackworth, Mr. McFarlin, Cecil Stokes, '28, Mr. Ford, Lewis Johnson, '49, and Mr. Humphries.

Alumni Secretary Joseph B. Sarver, Jr., '37, spoke briefly.

Sports Columnist Fred Russell of the Nashville Banner and Blackstone Dozier, of Radio Station WKDA which will carry six Auburn games this fall, were special guests.

Kiwanis official

HE HAS LONG been a leader in civic affairs. Mr. Farrington was instrumental in getting the Piedmont youth center established in Dadeville.

He was charter president of the Dadeville Kiwanis Club, and has served on district and international committees. He has been elected both lieutenant governor and governor of the Alabama District of Kiwanis.

An active member of the Methodist Church, Mr. Farrington has served as chairman of the board of stewards, Sunday school teacher and building committee chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrington have four children, including Mrs. Annie Sue Farrington Scherer, '49, of Sylacauga. Barbara is in Japan with the Red Cross. Fletcher, Jr., 14, and Betty, 12, are active 4-H Club members in Tallapoosa County.

Alabamians named

SIX ALABAMA county agents have accepted committee assignments from the National Association of County Agricultural Agents for the 1955-56 year.

The committeemen who will work with President Farrington are Beverly Holstun, '23, Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa County, relationships; Carl Parker, '44, Fort Payne, DeKalb County, 4-H Clubs; H. J. Carter, '29, Troy, Pike County, information and publicity; L. T. Wagnon, '33, Hartselle, Morgan County, Extension service programs; J. E. Morris, '24, Wetumpka, Elmore County, land grant colleges; and D. S. Loyd, '38, Oneonta, Blount County, professional training.

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Band Alumni To Meet

PRESIDENT George J. Burris, III, '37 of the Auburn Band Alumni Club would like to meet all Auburn Band alumni at 9:30 a.m. Homecoming (Nov. 5) at the Auburn Union building.



FARRINGTON, '30

Seminary in 1923, he spent the first of five summers at API. During the winters he taught school in Cullman and Etowah Counties. Fletcher served as principal of a junior high school and later coached in a senior high school. In 1925, he married Miss Bunice G. Gulledge.

He began attending Auburn as a full-time student in 1928. Although he worked his way through college, he received high grades and was a member of Phi Kappa Phi and Gamma Sigma Delta honoraries. Fletcher was also a member of Spiked Shoe, track honorary, and Square and Compass.

It was not surprising, then, that Tallapoosa County was the first in the nation to use power equipment on a large scale in land reclamation. Visitors from 37 states and five nations came to the county in 1934 and 1935 to see this work.

The area was completely terraced through a Cooperative Land Reclamation Association, an organization underwritten by county officials. In addition, 190 farm lakes were constructed.

Auburn was his goal

MR. FARRINGTON has spent his whole life in agriculture. He has served 25 years as a county agent, 23 years at Dadeville in Tallapoosa County.

Fletcher, born on a farm near Blountsville, became a 4-H member as soon as he had the opportunity. His first projects were corn and pigs. He won the county pig-growing contest—and a trip to Auburn as the prize—when he was 14. The visit provided the young farm boy with a goal: he decided to come to Auburn to study agriculture after finishing high school.

After his graduation from Snead

Alumnalities

1896

Hubert A. Drennen, president of Drennen Motor Co. of Birmingham, is retired and is now making his home in Apalachicola, Fla.

1903

Deaths: William Lanier Halsey, 72, wholesale grocer, died in Huntsville in late September. Mr. Halsey, a life-long resident of Huntsville, was president of W. L. Halsey Grocery Co. He attended Army officers training camp in World War I. Survivors include Mrs. Halsey, a son and a daughter.

G. Horn Alexander is circuit clerk of Sumter County. His offices are in Livingston.

1904

James Henderson Childs has moved from Pearson to Lakeland, Ga. . . . T. Albert Ward, formerly of Savannah, Ga., has moved to Avon Park, Fla. His brother, William F. Ward, '04, is a citrus grower there.

1905

Class reunion: Homecoming, Nov. 4-5, 1955.

Dr. Helen Tracy Parsons is professor of nutrition at the University of Wisconsin. She attended Auburn two years, and earned her bachelor's degree from Kansas State College. She also holds a master's degree from Wisconsin and her doctorate from Yale University. Dr. Parsons has been on the Wisconsin faculty since 1913, except for four years spent as an instructor at Johns Hopkins University from 1916-1920. She is the author of many scientific articles on nutrition and member of a number of professional organizations.

1906

Deaths: Hugh Scott Hagood in Evergreen, Aug. 18. He was graduated in civil engineering from API, and returned to Evergreen, where he spent his life. Survivors include one daughter.

1908

J. A. Morgan, retired bookkeeper, makes his home in Anniston.

1909

Class reunion: Homecoming, Nov. 4-5, 1955.

Dan Herren, a cattle farmer at East Tallassee, is reported improving at his home. He suffered a cerebral hemorrhage in June. . . . Roswell Hine Richardson, Jr., is a partner in McWilliams and Richardson Insurance Agency in Athens (Ala.).

1910

Deaths: Perdue W. MacIntosh of Auburn, Calif., June 26.

1911

Deaths: A. Finley Harper, 62, retired mining engineer, in Birmingham Sept. 14, after a long illness. Mr. Harper was a native of Omaha, Neb. At Auburn he was known as "Scout." He graduated in 1911 with a degree in mining engineering. During World War I, Mr. Harper served as a master engineer. He had been associated with Sloss-Sheffield, Woodward Iron Co., and the National Coal and Coke Co. In 1949 he was appointed to the Alabama Safety Commission, on which he served four years. Survivors include Mrs. Harper of Birmingham.

Deaths: Eben H. Hines, Sr., 68, of Clemson, S.C., Sept. 27. Mr. Hines was branch manager of International Harvester Co. in Evergreen, Ala., until his retirement five years ago. He attended API in 1907-08. He spent most of his life in Repton and Evergreen, moving to Clemson 18 months ago. Survivors include Mrs. Hines and two sons, Col. James Payne Hines, '36, Alexander, Va., and Eben H. Hines, Jr., '39, Southern Pines, N.C.

1912

Willis B. Nickerson makes his home in Lexington, N. C. . . . Dr. William L. Roy Stroup, veterinarian, operates Stroup Clinic in Corinth, Miss.

1913

Thomas C. Izard is director of the summer session at Columbia University, New York.

1914

Deaths: Joe John Haralson, 59, architect, at his home in Fort Smith, Ark., Mar. 18. Mr. Haralson earned his bachelor's degree from Auburn in 1914 and



Brief sketches and news items
on Auburn's sons and
daughters

1924

Elbert A. Holt is a statistician with Moody's Investors Service in New York City. He makes his home in Brooklyn.

1925

J. A. Beaty is manager of the agricultural department of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce. . . . Col. Edward B. James is chief of the historical division of the United States Army, Europe, located at Karlsruhe, Germany. He writes that he has visited Lt. Col. Porter Grant, '33, G-2 at headquarters, U. S. Army, Europe, at Heidelberg, about 30 miles north of Karlsruhe.

Charles Edward Shaffer lives in Birmingham.

1926

Mrs. Grace Gardner Arnquist has returned to the United States after a two-year stay in London, England, where her husband, Dr. W. N. Arnquist, was stationed with Naval Ordnance Testing Service. The Arnquists and their three children, Clifford, Anne and Carolyn, are living at Newport Beach, Calif. Dr. Arnquist is associated with a laboratory at Pasadena, Calif.

E. Burton DeSoto is owner of the Western Auto Associate Store in Talladega. . . . Carson Edmon Green is hospital administrator for the city of Port St. Joe, Fla. . . . James A. Greene is manager in the executive office of American Telephone and Telegraph Co. in New York City. He makes his home in Bronxville.

C. W. Virgin, an insurance counselor, is secretary-treasurer of A & V Agency, Inc., at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He was formerly a resident of Atlanta.

1927

Robert E. Ashcraft is vice president of Ashcraft-Wilkinson Co. in Atlanta. He is in charge of sales. . . . Clayton P. Dunning is manager of marketing of small appliances for General Electric Supply Co. at Bridgeport, Conn. . . . Francis P. Hereford is associated with Crane, Jackson and Wilson in Montgomery.

1928

Mrs. Celeste Nesbitt Hendrix has moved to Coral Gables, Fla. Her husband, Noble B. Hendrix, former dean of students at the University of Alabama, has been appointed to a similar position at the University of Miami. . . . Henry L. Nichols is owner of Columbiana Heading Co., manufacturers of wood headings for barrels and drums at Columbiana. . . . Jackson W. Vance is a dentist at LaGrange, Ga.

1929

Deaths: Malcolm Croft, 52, of Evergreen Oct. 1, 1955.

James Pat Griffin is assistant chief civil engineer with Union Oil and Gas Corp. of Louisiana with offices in Houston, Tex. . . . John Ellwood Sadler is associated with Tennessee Coal and Iron Division of U.S. Steel at Fairfield.

Clyde C. Sellers assumed office as commissioner of public affairs for the City of Montgomery Oct. 1. He served in the Alabama Legislature from 1951-55, and is former chief of the Alabama Highway Patrol. He is a member of the Army Advisory Committee for the Third Army Area, the First Methodist Church, Montgomery Country Club, Beauvoir Club, and on the board of directors of the Montgomery Boys Club. He has been president of the Central Alabama Bird Breeders Association. Mr. and Mrs. Sellers have four children, Mrs. June Sellers Nichols, '54, John L. Sellers, '55, Sally, 13, and Anne, 9.

1930

Class reunion: Homecoming, Nov. 4-5, 1955.

Owen T. Allen is assistant chief of civil engineering branch for the Tennessee Valley Authority at Chattanooga, Tenn. He is engaged in engineering and design of transmission lines. . . . Leonidas Brown, pharmacist, is owner-manager of West Fulton Pharmacy in Atmore.

lanta. . . . Lucius M. Dyal is employed by Smith Engineering and Construction Co. at Guayaquil, Ecuador, South America.

1931

Robert A. Culpepper owns and operates Culpepper Vending Co. at Fort Benning, Ga. He makes his home in Columbus.

Charles F. Davis, Jr., partner in the Birmingham architectural firm of Van Keuren and Davis, spent September and early October in Korea as an advisor to the Presbyterian Church of the United States. He worked with mission planners in choosing sites and designing new mission buildings, including those for Mission College in Seoul. He is a ruling elder in the South Highland Presbyterian Church and a member of the American Institute of Architects. Mr. Davis has been a practicing architect in Birmingham for 20 years.

George L. Williamson has been named sales representative for P. R. Mallory and Co., Inc., in Cleveland, Ohio, and Pittsburgh, Penn. He has more than 20 years experience in the field of electrical engineering and holds a patent on a process for manufacturing electrical contacts.

Mr. Williamson was sales manager of Gibson Electric Co. of Pittsburgh before joining the Mallory sales staff. He has also been employed by H. A. Wilson Co. of Newark, N. J., and Babcock and Wilcox Co. of New York City. He is a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, and earned a master's degree in education from Columbia University. Mr. and Mrs. Williamson and their two children live in Pittsburgh.

1932

William Elliot Free is office engineer for Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co. at Wilmington, N. C. . . . Clarence L. Dykes is plant superintendent for Florence Stove Co. in Lewisburg, Tenn. The company makes ranges and heaters. . . .

Mrs. Louise Whatley Taber is director of special services at Fort Hanford, Washington. . . . Thomas A. Ventress, Jr., is county agent for Cleburne County at Heflin. . . . Richard Andrew Wible is agricultural advisor for Peterman Bank and Peterman Agricultural Co. He makes his home in Monroeville.

1933

Deaths: The Rev. Conrad L. Stayton of Hammond, La., in August. He earned his bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from API in 1933. In 1940 he was graduated from Columbia (Presbyterian) Theological Seminary. He served as pastor of Presbyterian churches in York and Fairfield, (Ala.), and Hammond, La.

Harold K. Blackman is local manager for the Alabama Power Co. at Leeds. . . . Travis O. Burgess is work unit conservationist in charge of Soil Conservation Service work in Tallapoosa County. He has been with the SCS for 21 years, the past 12 years in Dadeville. Mr. Burgess is a Sunday school teacher and member of the Dadeville Methodist Church. He is also a member of the South Alabama Chapter and the national organization of the Soil Conservation Society of America. He has held various offices in the Dadeville Kiwanis Club, including the presidency in 1949, and has been on the agricultural and boys and girls' committees. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess have two daughters, Carolyn Rebecca, 14, and Susan Elizabeth, 9. Mrs. Burgess, the former Bernice Ray of Ashland, is draft board clerk for selective service in Tallapoosa County.

1934

Lt. Col. James A. Benford is commanding officer of the 594th Field Artillery Battalion which is serving overseas. . . . William Dorrrough is mayor of the City of Leeds. He is a retired vet-

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erinarian. . . . William O. Richardson has been transferred to Montgomery, where he is serving as administrative assistant to the state executive officer of Production and Marketing Administration of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Mrs. Richardson is the former Marion Bailey, '34. Before moving from their home in Auburn, the Richardsons built a new home on Johnstown Drive in Montgomery. They have a young son, Tommy.

1935

J. F. Boudurant lives in Morton, Miss. . . . Mrs. Elizabeth Love Bradley is teaching at Murphy High School in Mobile. Mrs. Bradley has been on the faculty of Lee County High School in Auburn for a number of years and has served as a supervising teacher in the practice teaching program of the API School of Education.

Edmond W. Camp, MS '35, retired head of textile engineering, makes his home in Auburn. . . . Mrs. Martha Barrow (Johnny) Jenks makes her home on a farm near Winchester, Ky. . . . Mrs. Annie Pound Russell lives at Stafford.

1936

Dr. Benjamin Hardy Johnson is surgeon in Bessemer.

1937

Births: A son, James Edwin, to Dr. and Mrs. James M. McKinnon of Sanford, N. C., Aug. 7. Dr. McKinnon is a veterinarian. The McKinnons also have a seven-year-old son, Griggs Robert.

Albert F. Bullard, Jr., is a credit analyst for the Trust Co. of Georgia in Atlanta. . . . Col. George R. Creel, Jr., is new chief of information for the Military District of Washington, D.C. After receiving his ROTC commission at Auburn, he entered the Army in 1937 as a lieutenant in the Field Artillery at Fort Bragg, N. C. He has been assistant in personnel for the Second Army at Memphis; assistant inspector general for General Headquarters, Far East Command; SHAPE's chief press officer under Gen. M. B.

Ridgway and Gen. Alfred M. Gruenthal, and deputy group commander for the 18th Field Artillery group of the U. S. Army in Europe. Col. Creel initiated and edited the widely circulated "Handbook for Public Information Officers—U. S. Army." He holds a master's degree in journalism from the University of Wisconsin. Col. and Mrs. Creel and their two children, Rachel, 16, and William, 11, live in Arlington, Va.

Robert Grey Johnson, of Pittsburgh, Penn., received his master of letters degree from the University of Pittsburgh at the summer commencement Aug. 31.

1938

Dr. E. B. Barnes is a physician in Cullman. . . . H. O. Barton has been named city manager for Jasper. He will continue to serve as city clerk, a position he has held since October, 1947. He holds a degree in business administration from API. He served in the Army from 1940 to 1946. Mr. and Mrs. Barton have twins, Jim and Martha.

Frank Hamm is a partner in the Sheffield Concrete Block Co. of Florence. . . . Lt. Col. Charles E. Lawrence is a pilot in the U. S. Army in Army aviation at Fort Carson, Colo. He makes his home at Colorado Springs. . . . deWitte M. Yost is technical director of Sorg Paper Co. in West Middletown, Ohio. Mrs. Yost is the former Anne Griffin, '40.

1939

Deaths: James W. Cabiness, '37, of Glendale, Calif., in Sawtelle, Calif., Aug. 5. A native of Birmingham, he served as a first lieutenant in the Air Force from 1942 to 1947. He moved to California in 1948. Mrs. Cabiness, a daughter, Cathleen, and a son, James, survive.

Births: A son, Wade Morgan, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Oscar W. Burford of Tokyo, Japan, Aug. 10. Col. Burford is chief of the recreation division, Special Services, Armed Forces of the Far East at Camp Zama, Japan. The Burfords have three other children, Jeannie, 12, Oscar W., Jr., 11, and Boyd, 5. . . . A daughter, Amy Gail, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Vann of Birmingham Aug. 30.

Margaret Fryer Brazelton is court reporter at Craig Air Force Base. Her duties include taking court-martial proceedings in the judge advocate's office. She makes her home in Selma. . . . Marcus D. Calton is a lumber broker

in Eufaula. . . . Edwin Elmore Ragan is a salesman for Brundidge Milling Co. He also makes his home in Brundidge.

1940

Deaths: Dr. Charles C. Burns, veterinarian of Thomasville, Ga., March 15. He operated his own practice in Thomasville, specializing in small animal work.

Deaths: Dr. Thomas Earl Nettles, 37-year-old Monroeville physician, in an automobile wreck near Peterman Sept. 10. A native of Tunnel Springs, Dr. Nettles spent one year at API studying pre-med in 1936-37. He was graduated from the medical school of Hahnemann College, Philadelphia, Penn., and served as a captain in the Medical Corps in World War II. He founded the Monroeville Hospital six years ago. Survivors include his wife, a son, Thomas Earl, Jr., and a daughter, Nancy.

Clyde H. Brown, Jr., is a mechanical engineer for Tennessee Coal and Iron Division of U. S. Steel Corp. in Fairfield. He works with coal, dolomite, iron and zinc ore and other raw materials in production. Mr. Brown lives in Birmingham. . . . Ted W. Ellis is chief electrical engineer for Patchen and Zimmerman, engineers, of Augusta, Ga. Mr. Ellis does design engineering, working with plans and specifications. He makes his home in North Augusta, S. C.

Joe Fleming is a farmer in the Lily Flagg Gin community on Route 4, Huntsville. . . . William W. Goode, Jr., is division manager of Permian Basin Division of Schlumberger Well Surveying Corp.'s oil field service at Midland, Tex. . . . Joseph Henry (Jack) Upchurch teaches vocational agriculture at Millerville. He earned his bachelor's degree from API in 1940 and his master's in 1954. Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch have two daughters, Beverly, 8, and Judy, 4.

1941

Births: A daughter, Laurel Gertrude, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carson Jackson of Opelika in Opelika Aug. 18. . . . A daughter, Alma Kaye, to Mr. and Mrs. Leland L. Long, '48 (Veda Avery) of Lakeland, Fla., Aug. 15.

Thomas Marion Fason is assistant district manager of Gulf Refining Co. at Knoxville, Tenn. . . . Bobby J. Chapman is a mechanical engineer for the public works department of the U. S. Marine Corps in Miami, Fla. . . . Ruby Morrison Pierce is distributive education (DE) coordinator at Murphy High School in Mobile. She makes her home on Route 2, Theodore.

1942

Lt. Col. Lee Burson is serving overseas with headquarters of the Seventh Air Rescue Group. His home is on Route 1, Haleyville. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Cox (Mary Dean French, '43) have moved from Washington, D. C., to Jackson, Miss. Mr. Cox is district manager of the South Central states for Brunner Manufacturing Co. of Utica, N. Y.

William O. Hairston is county agent for Perry County at Marion. . . . Francis Sims Tucker operates a pharmacy at Camp Hill.

1943

Births: A daughter, Teresa, to Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Vandergrift of Birmingham Aug. 26.

Walter Lee Berry, Jr., is a design engineer with Convair's missile testing program at San Diego, Calif. . . . James E. Boman is a soil scientist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service at Carrollton. . . . Bruce C. Johnson is a district biologist with the Mississippi State Game and Fish Commission. He works in research and management of wildlife resources. Mr. Johnson lives in Columbus, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sanders (Mary Wilson, '45) live in Willowick, Ohio. He is a chemical engineer and technical sales representative for Tennessee Eastman Co. of New York.

1944

Dr. Frank Whitfield Canon is a general veterinary practitioner at Route 6, Salisburg, N. C. . . . Robert Ingram High, Jr., is a work unit conservationist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service at Russellville. He joined SCS upon his graduation from Auburn, and has worked in Russellville for the past eight years. The Highs have three children, Robert Ingram, III, 5, Betty Laura, 3, and George Christopher, 2. . . . Roy O. Hill, Jr., is a chemist in plastics development for Tennessee Eastman Co. at Kingsport, Tenn.

1945

Deaths: William E. Jefferson of Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 4. Mrs. Jefferson survives.

Jesse C. James is an engineer with the Georgia Tech Engineering Experiment Station in Atlanta. He lives in Chamblee, Ga. . . . Capt. James M. Shuler is serving overseas at the 86th Tactical Hospital. . . . Mrs. Fay Hart Thomas makes her home in Houston, Tex.

1946

Nimrod D. Denson, III, is a pilot for Pan American World Airways. He flies in the company's Latin American Division, with his headquarters and his home in Miami, Fla. . . . The Rev. Robert A. Dobbins is minister of the Thomson (Ga.) Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Dobbins is the former Sue Dale Fleming. . . . Mr. and Mrs. James A. Faucett (Nell B. Moseley, '44) live in Monroe, La., where Mr. Faucett is merchandise manager for Sears, Roebuck and Co.

Dr. Sidney P. Kent, MD, has moved from Randolph Air Force Base to Austin, Tex. . . . Dr. Robert A. Kirby operates a veterinary hospital in Birmingham.

Jimmie P. Nix, Jr., is agent for Standard Oil Co. in Bibb County. He makes his home in Centreville. . . . Mrs. Laura V. Porter Potts is a housewife in Florence.

Dr. A. G. Robinson is a veterinarian in Fort Walton, Fla. . . . Mrs. Winifred Swenson Stanley has joined her husband, Dr. Robert W. Stanley, '48, on the physics faculty of Clarkson College of Technology at Potsdam, N. Y., this fall. Mrs. Stanley will serve as an instructor in physics, while her husband is an associate professor of physics. Mrs. Stanley did graduate work in physics and mathematics at Auburn and was an instructor at API before her marriage. The Stanleys have two daughters, Cecelia Margaret, 4, and Kathryn Cheryl, six months old.

1947

Adoption: A daughter, Doris Ellen, born Feb. 21, 1955, by Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Penley (Winifred Waldrop, '49) of Lanett in September.

Lily Bradley teaches at Columbia City School, Columbia, S. C. As a first lieutenant in the Women's Army Corps Reserves, she spent two weeks on active duty at the Women's Army Corps Center at Fort McClellan in August. . . . Carl R. Fletcher is a special representative with Franklin Life Insurance Co. His offices are in Atlanta. . . . Mrs. Virginia Capps Johnson is a housewife in Columbus, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. (Jimmy) Mills, Jr. (Jean Crawford) are living in Mobile, where Mr. Mills is manager of the electric accounting machine division of International Business Machines Corp. They have two sons, Ricky and Jimmy.

Hugh M. Motes is a partner in the general contracting firm of E. W. Motes and Son of Sylacauga.

Edward E. D. Nall has been named Eli Lilly and Co. representative in Mobile. Upon receiving his degree in pharmacy in 1947, Mr. Nall was employed by Wikle Drug Co. of Anniston, where he spent eight years.

His territory includes Escambia County, Mobile County, and westward to Pascagoula, Miss.

Mrs. Nancy Lea Brown Owen has been named Presbyterian student worker for API this fall. She was formerly employed at Auburn's Educational Interpretation Service. Her husband, James S. (Jim) Owen, '42, is a doctoral student in the School of Education. They have a four-year-old daughter, Beth. . . . Dr. Joseph Phifer is a veterinarian in Tuscaloosa.

Dr. J. Stephens Powell, formerly of Fort Worth, Tex., received his doctor's degree in organic chemistry from the University of Texas Aug. 12. He holds both bachelor's and master's degrees from API. Dr. Powell has joined duPont Chemical Co. in Wilmington, Del., as research chemist. . . . Leonard B. Redd has been promoted to the rank of major in the U. S. Air Force. Maj. Redd reported for overseas duty with the Fifth Air Force in the Pacific area in early October.

1948

Births: A son, Douglas Mark, to Lt. and Mrs. Jack Cahoon of Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico, Aug. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Baisch, Jr. (Nancy Bailey, '51) live in Tampa, Fla.

He is a sales representative for Connors Steel Division. . . . Billy J. Battle is a development engineer with U. S. Pipe and Foundry Co. in Birmingham. . . . Julian Lewis Bernheim is an engineer with Hayes Aircraft in Birmingham. . . . Coleman Ferrell Burke is a research engineer with Hughes Aircraft Co. at Culver City, Calif. Mr. Burke, a member of the technical staff, is working with fire control systems. He makes his home in Lancaster, Calif.

Dr. William Mack Dillard of the API School of Veterinary Medicine has moved from large animal to the small animal clinic this fall. Dr. and Mrs. Dillard have three children, Larry, 8, Vance, 5, and Marcia, 1. . . . Dr. Ray Dunlap is a veterinarian in Guntersville. . . . Robert Farquhar, API Extension Service assistant specialist in beef cattle and sheep marketing at Auburn, was one of the featured speakers at the fourth annual cattlemen's short course in Auburn in August. . . . Dr. Davis L. Gant is a veterinarian in Andalusia.

Dr. John W. Harding, veterinarian, is now located in Searcy, Ark. He formerly operated a practice in Norfolk, Va.

Dr. Loy Jordan is a veterinarian in Tuscaloosa. . . . John L. Lambert, Jr., former advertising manager for Sears, Roebuck and Co., in Anniston, has been transferred to Little Rock, Ark., where he will serve as Sears' advertising manager. Mrs. Lambert is the former Barbara Ingram, '48.

William E. Lane, Anniston, received his doctor of philosophy degree from the University of Alabama Aug. 19. He wrote his dissertation on trends in the cotton textile industry and earned his doctorate from the School of Commerce and Business Administration. Dr. Lane holds both bachelor's and master's degrees from Auburn. He rejoined the API industrial management faculty as its head this fall. Mr. and Mrs. Lane have one child.

Julius M. Langley is a district salesman for Ralston-Purina Co. in LaGrange, Ga. . . . Dr. John M. Livingston, technician in the Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory at Auburn last year, has become an instructor in pathology on the API School of Veterinary Medicine faculty this fall. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Logan, Jr. (Modesta Bidez, '48) have moved from Decatur, Ga., to Columbus. Mr. Logan is employed in the sales division of Armour and Co. . . . Solon E. McGraw, Jr., has been promoted to zone truck manager for Chevrolet Motor Division of General Motors in Birmingham. Mr. McGraw has served as district manager and assistant parts and accessories manager for the Birmingham zone.

Lawrence C. Pharo, Jr., has accepted a position in the Ordnance Research Laboratory of Pennsylvania State University. Mr. and Mrs. Pharo (Micki Street, '48) are temporarily residing in Newport, R. I. They will move to State College, Penn., in the late fall to make their home. . . . John H. Rew is vocational agriculture teacher at Autauga. He earned his master's degree from API in 1953.

Capt. Claude LeRoy Roberts, Jr., who received his master's degree from Iowa State College in civil engineering in June, has been assigned to Fort Belvoir, Va. . . . Jesse E. (Gene) Smith is vocational agricultural teacher at East Limestone School in Athens. He earned his master's degree from Auburn in 1952. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have two children, Jane, 4, and Don, 7 months. Mr. Smith is chairman of the Limestone County Vocational Association and a former president of the county Teachers Association. He also holds a bachelor's degree from Florence State.

Orion York Smith teaches vocational agriculture at Carrollton. He holds both bachelor's and master's degrees from Auburn. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have a son, John York, who is 2. . . . Asa Clinton Teague is vocational agriculture teacher at Cedar Bluff. Mr. Teague earned his master's degree from Auburn in 1952. Mr. and Mrs. Teague have two children, Robbie, 5, and Sandra, 3. . . . Henry F. Turner is connected with the zoology - entomology department of Iowa State College at Ames.

1949

Births: A daughter, Nancy Carol, to Mr. and Mrs. Marlin S. Huggins of Auburn Sept. 10. . . . A son, Craig, to Mr. and Mrs. Rex B. Powell (Mary Lind Medlock, '52) of Huntsville Sept. 10. . . . A son, Andrew Franklin, III, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrews Franklin Spear, Jr., of Birmingham Sept. 13.

Adoption: A daughter, Kathan, by Mr. and Mrs. J. Gaston Golsan of Dublin, Ga., in September. Mr. Golsan is project manager for The Jordan Co., a construction firm in Columbus, Ga.

Marriages: Louise Ross of Hattiesburg, Miss., to Harry H. Bell, Jr., in April. They are living in Gulfport where Mr. Bell is employed in the operating department of the general offices of Mississippi Power Co.

James W. Anderson has been transferred to San Francisco, Calif., by Stockham Vales and Fittings. . . . Marvin Desmond Beck is a governmental aeronautical engineer at Huntsville. He works in the design, layout and assembly section of Redstone Arsenal. . . . Philip Boss III is a partner in Boss and Howard Construction Co. in Huntsville. . . . Jack Dalford Boswell is an electrical engineer with the Tennessee Valley Authority at Bowling Green, Ky. . . . James F. Bullock, Jr., is a development engineer with Flint Member Corp. in Reynolds, Ga. His cooperative serves 11,000 consumers.

William B. Covey has been transferred by Douglas Aircraft Co. to Edwards Air Force Base, Calif. He is attached to the Douglas plant at Lancaster, Calif. . . . Billy Louis Cummings is a training specialist at Anniston Ordnance Depot. He supervises apprentice training. Mr. Cummings lives in Talladega. . . . Edgar B. Dixey is a chemical engineer with Southern Cotton Oil Co., manufacturers of Wesson Oil and Snowdrift, at Gretna, La. He lives in New Orleans.

W. W. Dulaney is vocational agriculture teacher at New Market. . . . Curtis Milton Eiland teaches vocational agriculture at Blue Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Eiland have two children, Carlos and Amoret. . . . Dr. Joseph E. Gordon is assistant to the dean of education at Tulane University, New Orleans, La.

W. E. (Ed) Harris, BS, MS, '55, has joined the faculty of Apopka (Fla.) Memorial High School as vocational agriculture teacher. . . . William Morris Harrison teaches vocational agriculture at Ider. He holds both BS and MS degrees from API. . . . Dorsey Lanier Haynes teaches vocational agriculture at Roanoke. He has served as president of the Roanoke Lions Club and commander of the American Legion post. Mr. and Mrs. Haynes have a son, Phillip, who is 11 months old.

Elbert Grady Hendrix, vocational agriculture teacher at Walker County High School in Jasper, is district vice president of the Alabama Vocational Agricultural Teachers Association for 1955-56. Mr. Hendrix is a Kiwanian, advisor for Boy Scouts, and a deacon in the Presbyterian Church. Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix (Mary Neat Dollar, '44) live on Bankhead Farmstead, Route 5, Jasper.

Marvin E. Houston has returned to Birmingham after serving as a lieutenant with the Signal Corps in Nurnberg, Germany. . . . William L. Jennings is vice president of All-States Life Insurance Co. in Montgomery. In addition to his insurance, he is also a rancher. . . . Martin Eugene Karr teaches vocational agriculture at Kennedy. Mr. and Mrs. Karr have two children, Claude, 5, and Palmer, 4.

Edward L. (Ted) Lansford is vocational agricultural instructor at Vincent High School. Mr. Lansford is chairman of the Shelby County Teachers Association and chairman of the board of deacons for the Vincent Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Lansford have a 12-year-old daughter, Carolyn Ann.

James E. McAdams is an architect with his own business in Greenwood, Miss.

Claude H. McBride, Jr., of Decatur, is a director of the North Alabama chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants. . . . Hoyt A. McClelland lives in Montgomery. . . . Elizabeth J. (Betty) Nichols is a teacher in Houston, Tex. She spent the summer at her home in Florence. . . . Maurice L. Northcutt has been discharged from service after duty with the 311th Engineer Construction Group overseas. He makes his home in East Gadsden.

Carlos L. (Red) Owen teaches vocational agriculture at Maplesville. Mr. and Mrs. Owen have three children, Carol, 8; Jo, 7, and Jimmie, 2. . . . John Milton Owsley lives in Athens. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Curtis F. Peacock (Emma Jean Maddox, '48) have been transferred to Portsmouth, Ohio.

James H. Phillips, who holds a bachelor of industrial management degree from Auburn, received his master's degree in business administration from Harvard University in June. . . . Carl Alvin Reaves is a research agricultural engineer with the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Auburn.

John D. Shultz is county agent for Poinsett County, Arkansas, with offices and his home in Harrisburg. . . . Clifford D. Stanfield is associated with Capitol Chevrolet, Inc., in Montgomery. . . . Lewis F. Tapp is employed with Royal-Liverpool Insurance Group in Chattanooga, Tenn. . . . Rufus Knowles

Walden is assistant county supervisor with Farmers Home Administration of the USDA in Talladega County. He makes his home in Talladega.

1950

Births: A daughter, Cathy Anne, to Capt. and Mrs. John F. Cutcliff of Atlanta Feb. 10. The Cutcliffs also have a son. . . . A son, Mark Henderson, to Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Moore of Auburn in Opelika Sept. 6. . . . A daughter, Amanda Lee, to Mr. and Mrs. John Dewey Poole, Jr., of Birmingham, Sept. 8.

Births: A son, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Glenn Robeson of Spartanburg, S. C., July 1. Mr. Robeson is employed by his father-in-law at Eddie Gaines, Studebaker dealership, in Spartanburg. He is vice president of the Spartanburg Junior Chamber of Commerce and won the "Key Man" award in 1954 for his work with the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. and Mrs. Robeson have a daughter Glenda, 19 months old.

Marriages: Marguerite Cuper to Edgar E. Bostick in Akron, Ohio, July 9. The Bosticks are living in Akron, where they are employed with Goodyear Rubber Co. Mr. Bostick is a graduate student at the University of Akron, working toward a master's degree in organic chemistry.

George R. (Corky) Allison is a partner in Farmers Gin and Warehouse at Stevenson. Mr. and Mrs. Allison have a son, Michael Joe, 1. Mr. Allison is a member of the Jackson County Auburn Club. . . . Harry Jordan Barnes is sales manager for Manchester Parts Co. in Manchester, Ga. . . . Charles Benson Bottoms, Jr., is a market representative for the Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Mr. and Mrs. Bottoms make their home in Jackson, Miss.

Frank Glenn Marsh, BS, '50, MS, '55, is the first student to receive the master's degree in pharmacy at Auburn. A native of Auburn, he has received a research assistantship at Emory University in Atlanta. For the next three years he will work toward his Ph.D. in pharmacology and do research at Emory.

Dr. William R. Miller is a veterinarian with Animal Disease Eradication Branch, Agricultural Research Service, United States Department of Agriculture in Fremont, Nebr. He was formerly a practitioner in Robertsdale, Ala.

Dr. D. C. (Skeeter) Moore is a practicing veterinarian in Selma. He was formerly located at Bay Spring, Miss. Mrs. Moore is the former Ada Gene Moore, '52, of Marion Junction. . . . James D. (Red) Moore farms with his father at Marion Junction.

Dr. James W. Newberne has joined the biological laboratory staff of Pittman-Moore Co., a division of Allied Laboratories, in Indianapolis, Ind. He spent two years in general practice in Hutchinson, Kan., and returned to Auburn as a member of the veterinary faculty. Dr. Newberne earned his master's degree in pathology in 1954. Mrs. Newberne is Mary Helen Turner, '51. They have two daughters.

Byrd Coles Nix teaches vocational agriculture at Foley. At Auburn he was a member of Sigma Pi fraternity. Mr. and Mrs. Nix have a two-year-old daughter, Betty Caron. . . . Burl V. Quimby is vocational agriculture teacher at Washington County High School at Chatom. He is secretary-treasurer of the Chatom Kiwanis Club and president of the Washington County Teachers Association. Mr. and Mrs. Quimby have a son, Larry, who is two years old.

Harry V. Simmons is organization and methods examiner in the Manpower and

Organization Division of Brookley Air Force Base at Mobile. He has recently completed an 18-month correspondence study course on "Emergency Management of the National Economy," offered by the Industrial College of the Armed Forces. Mr. Simmons holds both a bachelor's degree in industrial management and a BS degree in business administration (1953) from API. Mrs. Simmons is the former Carolyn McCain, '56. They have a year-old daughter, Cynthia.

Richard B. Stone, Union Springs, is new Lions Club governor for District E. . . . Gloria Blackshear is now Mrs. LaVaughn Suddeth, Jr. She makes her home in Panama City, Fla. . . . Homer W. Tillery, Jr., is associated with Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Atlanta. . . . Robert Warner is project chairman for the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Jacksonville, Fla. One of the current pro-

jects is a safe driving campaign.

Jesse DeWitt Wigley, MS, '50, teaches vocational agriculture at Riverton. Mr. and Mrs. Smith make their home on Route 1, Huntsville. He holds his bachelor's degree from Mississippi State College. . . . Robert Allen Williams, BS, '50, MS, '55, is a coach and physical education teacher at Livingston State Teachers College. Mrs. Williams is Betty Grimes, '46. They have two daughters.

Clarence Tuerman Wilson is principal of Waterloo High School in Lauderdale County. . . . Edward Francis Winter, BS, '50, MS, '55, teaches vocational agriculture at Evergreen. He is a director of the Kiwanis Club and second vice commander of the American Legion post. . . . George H. Wright, Jr., who opened law offices in Auburn recently, won the 1955 Nathan Burkan Memorial prize of \$150 for a paper on "Real Property in Ideas" written in a University of Alabama Law School contest.

1951

Births: A daughter, Lucille Curtis, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Bishop (Dorothy Dean, '50) of Alexander City June 25. The Bishops are retail and wholesale florists and operate a greenhouse. . . . A daughter, Catherine Armstrong, to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hardy Smith (Catherine Wellbaum, '52) of Talladega Sept. 22.

Marriages: Mary Lovell Whitney to John D. Hipps of Birmingham in Bessemer March 4. Mr. and Mrs. Hipps are living in Birmingham. . . . Peggy Jean Smith of Decatur to Thomas Cary Marrott, Jr., of Foley Sept. 17.

Maj. William W. Edwards is assistant professor of military science and tactics at Texas A and M College at College Station. Mrs. Edwards is the former Billie Ruth Crocker, '52. . . . Dr. Curtis R. Fincher is a practicing veterinarian at Charlotte, N. C.

First Lt. James K. Foshee has been transferred from San Antonio, Tex., to the Eighth Air Postal Squadron overseas. . . . William Loyd Guy is an architectural engineer with Alabama Power Co. in Birmingham. . . . William G. Harrison, Jr., was discharged from the Air Force as a staff sergeant Aug. 30. He is making his home in Mobile. . . . Gene Pinkston Holman is a salesman for Holman Brothers, farm implements company at Hartford.

Saidee Barr Huey is now Mrs. Saidee H. Gardner of Birmingham. . . . Elmer Jackson is vocational agricultural teacher at West Limestone High School, Rt. 1, Lister. He is a Mason. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson have two children, Vinalyn, 3, and Michael, 1. . . . James Henderson Jernegan teaches vocational agriculture at B. B. Comer High School in Sylacauga. At Auburn he was a member of Alpha Zeta, Gamma Sigma Delta and Phi Kappa Phi. Mr. and Mrs. Jernegan have two children, Toby, 8, and Laura, 3.

Webster K. Jones, principal of Moundford High School, was named vice president of the Association of Secondary High School Principals at a meeting in Montgomery in August.

Wilbur Jackson (Bill) King is president of the Wilcox County Teachers Association. He teaches vocational agriculture at Pine Hill High School. Mr. King is also superintendent of a Sunday School. Mr. and Mrs. King have two children, Deborah Anne and Blaine. . . . Dr. Worth Lanier, veterinarian in York, S. C., is secretary-treasurer of the South Carolina Association of Veterinarians. . . . David C. Lott teaches vocational agriculture at Gaylesville High School. He is former Civic Club secretary and a member of Alpha Zeta, Gamma Sigma Delta and Phi Kappa Phi.

Francis J. Marshall is principal of Snover Elementary School in Opelika. Mrs. Marshall is the former Katherine Jackson, '34. . . . Jack W. Orcutt, Jr., is a sales engineer with Crandall Engineering Co. of Birmingham. . . . Arlon L. Otts teaches vocational agriculture at Princeton High School. Mr. and Mrs. Otts have a son, Tony Allen, 6.

John Mason Steele has joined the faculty of Mississippi State College for Women at Columbus as assistant professor of art. He holds a master's degree in design from LSU, and is the author of several articles on printing, design and photography. Mr. Steele has been an instructor at Woman's College of the University of North Carolina. Mrs. Steele is Lynn Rose Robinson, '50.

Roy E. Stevenson, who has been recently discharged from the U. S. Navy, has been named assistant agricultural editor at the API Agricultural Experiment Station and School of Agriculture. A native of Madison County, Mr. Stevenson served as an associate editor of Farm and Ranch magazine after his graduation from API. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson have an eight-month-old daughter, Jane.

1952

Births: A daughter, Janet Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Bruner, Jr., of Clayton, Mo., in St. Louis Sept. 10.

David Boyett has been discharged from the Army as a lieutenant, and is employed at Batson Pharmacy Shop in Sylacauga. He recently received his license as a registered pharmacist in Alabama.

Joe Hubert Brown, Jr., has been discharged after two years' service in the Air Force. He is now enrolled in graduate school at the University of Alabama and is making his home in Tuscaloosa. . . . First Lt. Charles E. Burns has returned from overseas duty and has been separated from service. He is now employed as bookkeeper with Gerlach Chevrolet Co. in Milton, Fla.

Joseph Glenn (Shorty) Carmichael teaches vocational agriculture at Rawls High School, Route 6, Andalusia. He is president of the Straughn Ruritan Club, and a lay church speaker. Mr. Carmichael also holds a bachelor's degree from Berry College. He has been a vocational teacher since receiving his degree from API in 1952.

Veterinarians attending Auburn's 47th annual veterinary conference this summer on the API campus included Dr. E. Howard Acree, Jacksonville, Fla.; Dr. Gene Bentley, Sylacauga; Dr. C. J. Bradley, Americus, Ga.; Dr. Byron L. Cochran, Brownsville, Tenn.; Dr. Charles W. Colquitt, API faculty; Dr. J. G. Courtney, Opelika; Dr. John Groce, Atlanta; Dr. W. David Gross, Mobile; Dr. Jim Kinsaul, Auburn; Dr. William H. Lockard, Zachary, La.; Dr. Charles Phillips, Mobile; Dr. Betty Sconyers Scoville Phillips, Mobile; Dr. Samuel Allen Price, Birmingham; Dr. J. R. Reynolds, Cleveland, Tenn.; and Dr. Robert W. Searcy, Albertville.

Donnell H. Culley is chief engineer with Walters Manufacturing Co. in Morristown, Tenn. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Benjamin Gilbert (Martha Rice, '53) live in Gainesville, Ga., where Mr. Gilbert is a poultry serviceman with B. T. Feeds, Inc. His general work is in the field of broilers.

Dr. C. R. (Egghead) Irby, formerly of Selma, is a veterinarian with R. L. Zeigler packing plant at Aliceville. . . . Charlie M. Knight is coach and physical education teacher at Baxter Seminary, Baxter, Tenn.

Sam Fletcher Ledbetter, Jr., teaches vocational agriculture at Lexington. Mr. and Mrs. Ledbetter have two daughters, Gail, 2, and Jannet, 1. . . . Harold Max Partain is bus terminal manager for Southeastern Greyhound Lines at Decatur. . . . Edward H. Porter teaches vocational agriculture at Addison.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Norman Ricks (Jean Fincher, '52) live in Pensacola, Fla., where he is in the interior decorating business. . . . Condred C. Roberts is a systemsman, writing procedures for accounting, in TCI offices at Fairfield. He makes his home in Birmingham.

Maj. Wayne Eston Scrivener is an historical officer with the U. S. Air Force in the Far East in Tokyo, Japan. Maj. and Mrs. Scrivener have three children, William Eugene (Flieger), 8, Helen Wayne, 6, and Nichele (Mike), 4.

W. Reese Slaughter is head coach and a teacher at Dadeville High School.

First Lt. Edward Lee Spencer, Jr., has joined the Air Force ROTC unit at Auburn. He attended University College of North Staffordshire, England, in 1952-53 on a Fulbright scholarship. He has served as air intelligence officer and adjutant with 406th Fighter Interceptor Wing in the European Area. . . . Erskine Ramsey Statum is employed in research and testing for American Cast Iron Pipe Co. in Birmingham. . . . John C. Suffling is an architect with Pritchard and Nickles in Tunica, Miss. He makes his home in Newton.

James Douglas Ward is a feed manufacturer at Faunsdale. . . . Edgar R. Watts, Jr., is sales engineer with Westinghouse Electric Corp. in Chattanooga, Tenn. . . . William Klein Whatley is an insurance investigator with Retail Credit Co. of Columbus, Ga. . . . Charles D. Wisher has been transferred to Shell Development Co.'s Emeryville, Calif., Research Center in the service engineering department. He was formerly employed at Shell Oil Norco (La.) refinery.

1953

Births: A daughter, Lesley Ray, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Aucoin (Claire Russell, '54) of Auburn in Opelika Sept. 9. Mr. Aucoin is research assistant in mathematics at API. . . . A daughter, Mary Catherine, to Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Scott Jr., (Minnie Watson, '51) of Opelika Sept. 7.

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Births: A son, William Craig, to Lt. and Mrs. William L. Smith (Ann Crumly, '55) of Arlington, Va., June 2. Lt. Smith is serving in the Corps of Engineers with the 515th Pipeline Co. at Fort Belvoir, Va. . . . A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Billy (William F.) Tucker (Sara Frances Tubbs, '56) of Birmingham Sept. 2. Mr. Tucker is in the insurance business in Birmingham.

Marriages: Dorothy Sue Nichols to Joe Brock in Vernon Sept. 17. Mr. Brock is a graduate student at API. . . . Barbara Glenn, '57, to Julius Porter Farish, III, of Monroeville in Opelika Sept. 22. Lt. Farish has recently been discharged from the Air Force after serving in the Far East for an 18-month tour of duty.

Marriages: Frieda Elizabeth Holmes to Randolph Douglas Lurie, '56, in Birmingham Sept. 17. Mrs. Lurie is a graduate student in chemistry and Mr. Laurie is a senior in the School of Chemistry. . . . Alice Tattt Bailey to Brown Nicholson, Jr., of Columbus, Ga., in Livingston Oct. 15. Mr. Nicholson is a graduate of Mercer University's School of Law.

Russell Clark, MS, principal of Lee County High School in Auburn, received his doctorate from Columbia University in June. . . . Leonard B. Crain, Thomaston, is a first lieutenant in the U. S. Army. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Crowley (Peggy Thielman) are making their home in Tuscaloosa, where Mr. Crowley is attending the University of Alabama.

Mrs. Hilda Gardner Dupree has moved to Seattle, Wash. . . . Nancy Evans is teaching art and English at Hotkiss, Colo., High School. . . . Lt. Tom D. Flu-ker is serving with the 14th Cavalry Regiment, APO 26, New York, N. Y.

Hollis L. Harris is affiliated with Delta C and S Airlines in Atlanta. He makes his home in College Park. . . . Robert E. Hawthorne is employed by Alabama Power Co. as an engineer in Mobile. . . . Lt. Charles E. Hogue is serving in Europe. . . . Jack A. Johnson has completed a two-year assignment with the U. S. Army Signal Corps and has rejoined the consulting management engineering firm which employed him before he entered service. Mr. Johnson is working at Roydon Wear, Inc., boys' apparel plant, at McRae, Ga. This is a pilot plant to test the firm's methods of manufacturing and sales.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray D. Langford (Clara Manell Radford, '52) live in Alexander City. Mr. Langford is Birmingham News distributor and Mrs. Langford is a housewife. . . . Stuart Leach, who has been discharged from the Army after serving in Japan for 15 months, is a student at the University of Alabama's Law School. . . . Owen M. Lee, Jr., teaches in Shelby County. He makes his home in Pell City.

George Milton McCluskey is a student at Baylor University of Physical Medicine in Dallas, Tex. . . . Muse Eugene Mann, Jr., an Army technician, is serving at Columbus, Ga. . . . William V. Meador operates a beef cattle farm at Faunsdale.

Walter Edward Saxon is assistant manager of Rocco Feeds of Dillwyn, Inc., at Dillwyn, Va. . . . James Martin Smith, Jr., has been discharged from the Navy after serving as a lieutenant, junior grade, aboard the USS Abbot. . . . George D. Stewart, Jr., of Evergreen, and Robert Lloyd Townsend of Florence have been named assistant engineers in the switchgear department of Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co. in Milwaukee, Wis. Both men completed the Allis-Chalmers graduate engineer training course in June.

1954

Births: Twin sons, John David and James Donald, to Mr. and Mrs. John Richard Dresher (Rosalynn Fillmer, '54) in Birmingham Sept. 9. Mr. Dresher is a special agent with Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. in Bay St. Louis, Miss. . . . A son, Michael Earl, to Dr. and Mrs. Jimmy Earl Lee in Lawrenceburg, Tenn., Aug. 11. Dr. Lee is a veterinarian in Lawrenceburg.

Births: A daughter, Suzanne Kay, to Dr. and Mrs. Wilfred Edward Noel in Lafayette, La., Feb. 24. Dr. Noel operates a general veterinary practice in Lafayette. Dr. and Mrs. Noel have two other children, Cynthia Marie and Louis Henry. . . . A son, Glenn B., to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Winn of Route 3, Birmingham, Sept. 7. Mr. Winn is an engineer with Butler Manufacturing Co. of Birmingham.

Marriages: Freddie Ann Lawhorne to Richard F. Copeland in Montgomery Sept. 24. They are making their home in Mobile. . . . Janet Chandler, '55, to Walter L. Hogan, Jr., of Mobile in Opelika Sept. 4. Mr. Hogan is a junior at the University of Alabama Medical School in Birmingham and Mrs. Hogan is on the laboratory staff at South Highlands Infirmary. . . . Nancy Catherine Flaherty to Jamie Parker Lamb, Jr., in

Meridian, Miss., June 11. He entered the Air Force as a second lieutenant June 30, and is now assigned as a project engineer on flight instruments at the Flight Control Laboratory, Wright Air Development Center, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. Lt. and Mrs. Lamb are making their home in Fairborn, Ohio.

Marriages: Jo Ann Thurman to Harry Francis Ryan, Jr., in Mobile Oct. 8. They are making their home in Mobile. He is a laboratory chemist with Courtaulds, (Ala.) Inc., at LeMoyn. . . . Mary Morgan Gattis to Charles Frederick Wilson in Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 17. Mr. Wilson is a sales representative for Burroughs Corp. in Atlanta.

Lt. Horace David Wall is serving in Germany with headquarters and service company of the 755th Tank Battalion of the Fifth Infantry Division. . . . L. Carolyn Walhall is a third grade teacher at Bellingrath School in Montgomery. . . . A. Joe Warr is a salesman with Cities Service Oil Co. at Jackson, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Warr (Patricia Harrison, '57) have two children, Patricia Ann, 3, and Joseph William, 1.

Lt. Kenneth W. Wear is assistant club officer, serving as manager of the officers' Open Mess, at the 312th Air Base Group, Headquarters Squadron, Clovis Air Force Base, N. M. . . . First Lt. Thomas W. Weatherford is assistant station veterinarian at Fort Myer, Va. His work includes inspection of food procured by Armed Forces in the Washington, D. C., area, care of the horses used for military ceremonies and funerals at Arlington National Cemetery, and operation of the Fort Myer small animal clinic.

Martha Eugenia Wheeler is a secretary to Insurors' Exchange, an insurance firm in Birmingham. . . . James Price Willett has completed Navy Officer Candidate School at Newport, R. I. Ens. Willett is now stationed at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. . . . Lt. Bill Martin Williams is personnel officer at Mitchel Air Force Base, N. Y. He lives in East Meadow, N. Y. . . . Fred Young Williams is a landscape architect with Algernon Blair Construction Co. in New Orleans, La.

Harold Bruce Williams is overseas textile representative for the Chemsstrand Corp. He is serving as a technical assistant to plants processing acrilan in England. Mr. and Mrs. Williams live in Decatur (Ala.). . . . Mayford D. Williams is employed with the forestry division of Tennessee Conservation Department at Lexington, Tenn. Mrs. Williams and their daughter, Beverly, are with him.

Calvin Arnold Winter teaches vocational agriculture at Selma. Mr. Winter received his master's degree from API in August. He is a first lieutenant in the Army Reserve, and is a veteran of the Korean conflict. Mr. and Mrs. Winter have two children, Cynthia and Calvin, Jr. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Max Wilson (Julia Johnson, '54) have returned from Anchorage, Alaska, following his discharge from the Army. They are living Rome, Ga., where both are teachers. Mrs. Wilson is employed at South Rome School and Mr. Wilson teaches at the junior high school.

John Courtney Wright is manager of Riverside Farms near Andalusia. He specializes in pork, beef and crop production. . . . Charles D. Yarbrough has been promoted to demonstration projects manager for Cosby-Hodges Milling Co. of Birmingham. He joined the feed company after his graduation from API in December and served as a district manager. In his new position, he will be in charge of poultry and livestock demonstration units located on the mill site in Birmingham.

Fred G. Young, MS '54, teaches vocational agriculture at Cuba. Mr. and Mrs. Young have two sons, Houston, 9, and Dan, 6. He holds his bachelor's degree from Clemson. Mr. Young is a former commander of the Cuba American Legion Post and president of the Baptist Brotherhood.

1955

Births: A daughter, Dianne Leigh, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Eugene Dekich (Nina Faye Kelly, '52) in Opelika Sept. 5. Mr. Dekich is assistant manager of the Auburn Union building, and is a graduate student in the School of Education at API. . . . A daughter, Debra Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Christiansen (Betty Smilie, '55) Aug. 24. Mr. Christiansen is a graduate student in the School of Engineering at Purdue University in Lafayette, Ind.

Marriages: Bennieta Andrew to William Jerry Chappell in Perry, Ga., Aug. 6. Mr. and Mrs. Chapell are making their home in Dalton, Ga., where they are both employed by the Dalton Public Schools. . . . Linda Lee James, '56, to Braxton Comer Counts, Jr., of Mobile, in Tuskegee Aug. 7. Lt. Counts is stationed at Fort Belvoir Va. . . . Barbara Leigh Parnell to Dr. Charles Lawhorne

Justo in Tuskegee Aug. 6. . . . Dorothy Jean Erwin to Sam Watkins Keenon in Birmingham Sept. 2.

Marriages: Ann Wadley, '57 to Donald LeRoy Dennison, Jr., in Macon, Ga., June 12. He was employed by his father at Dennison-Adams Lumber Co. in Macon before entering the Army as a second lieutenant in mid-October. . . . Jeanette Golden to William H. (Bill) Lovin in Douglasville, Ga., Aug. 28. Mr. Lovin is beginning his engineering career at Wolverine Tube Division in Decatur (Ala.), where they are making their home.

Marriages: Dorothy Haden Quarles to Frederick William Orr, Jr., in September. Mr. Orr is a farmer on Route 1, Palmetto, Ga. . . . Anne Ryland Walker to N. Sheldon Skinner, Jr., of Eutaw in South Hill, Va., Sept. 5. Mr. Skinner is a student at the University of Alabama Medical School in Birmingham. He was employed by his father, Newman Sheldon Skinner, '25 as a pharmacist's apprentice in Eutaw during the summer.

William Eugene Driver is engineer in charge of the drafting department of Fly Ash Arrestor Corporation in Birmingham. Mr. and Mrs. Driver have a three-year-old daughter, Debra.

Rhoda Holman of Ozark is art director of API's educational television department. Her work includes designing television stage settings, props and visual aids. . . . Mrs. Mattie Lucas (Homer C.) Jones and her daughter, Jacqueline Jones, are both employed as teachers in Muscogee County Schools in Columbus, Ga. They both received degrees in elementary education at Auburn's summer graduation. . . . Emma Florence Longcrier is teaching public school music in Alexander City. She is also working with the junior and senior high school glee clubs.

Julian P. May has been appointed a home service consultant for Montgomery Fair in Montgomery. His work will include assisting homemakers with interior decorating and color styling. Mr. May holds a bachelor's degree in interior design from Auburn. He won a citation of merit for his design of a "Home for Young America" in a nation-wide contest sponsored by American Institute of Decorators.

Dr. Horace C. Morgan, Jr., of Piedmont has been named instructor in pharmacology and physiology at API's School of Veterinary Medicine. While on the faculty, he will work toward a master's degree. . . . David A. Newcome of Gadsden is an assistant field director with American Red Cross at Fort Campbell, Ky. . . . Dr. A. C. (Buck) Newman, Jr., has opened Newman Animal Hospital in Opelika. He is 1955-56 president of Zeta Club, alumni organization of Omega Tau Sigma fraternity. Dr. and Mrs. Newman have a two-year-old daughter, Susan Jeannine.

Elton R. Ralston has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve after completing six weeks of training at Quantico, Va. He is now attending a 26-week basic school course for officers at Camp Upshur, Quantico. . . . Dr. John Richard Ray, veterinarian, is associated with Dr. H. A. Gray in general practice in Bowling Green, Ky. Mrs. Ray is the former Ruth Richardson, '53.

Robert Edwin Roane is a junior engineer in aerodynamics with Convair in Fort Worth, Tex. He is assigned to the performance section of flight test and cruise control. . . . John David Robbins is employed in the relay department of Alabama Power Co. in Birmingham. He was named the outstanding electrical engineering graduate of 1955 by AIEE before receiving his degree in June. Mr. Robbins has had 10 years' experience with Alabama Power Co. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins have a daughter and a son. . . . William David Rutland, Jr., assists his father in running their cattle farm at Mitchell.

Wallace N. Scarbrough is a registered pharmacist in Dothan, where he is employed in his father's drug store. . . . Phyllis Anne Schamehorn is a stenographer for Lockheed Aircraft Corp. at Marietta, Ga. She is making her home in Atlanta. . . . James Scharnagel is a second lieutenant in the Army Signal Corps. . . . James O. Schrimsher is a partner, with his father, in Schrimsher Construction Co. of Huntsville. . . . Gloria Sellers teaches the third grade at Edgewood School in Homewood. She lives in Birmingham. . . . William Gilbert Sellers, Jr., is a pulpwood producer at Ramer. He is associated in business with his father, W. G. Sellers, Sr., '26, who is a pulpwood dealer at Ramer.

Dr. J. C. Shanklin is associated with Dr. Kenneth Whittington, '42, in veterinary practice in Memphis, Tenn. Dr. and Mrs. Shanklin have two children, Gregory Nathan, 3, and Laura Ellen, nine months old.

Sharlene Sharpe is assistant home demonstration agent for St. Clair County. Her offices are in Pell City. . . .

Thomas G. Shepherd is an architectural draftsman with Hammond and Woods, architects, in Mobile. . . . Ola Ann Sims teaches the fifth grade at Cherry Street Elementary School in Panama City, Fla. . . . John S. Sisson, Jr., is an engineering apprentice with Western Telephone Co. at Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Sisson is under the comprehensive management training program which leads to technical supervisory positions.

Howard C. Skelton, Jr., of Birmingham, writes that four 1955 Auburn graduates are employed at Rich's in Atlanta under the junior executive training program. They are Mr. Skelton, who received his B.S. degree in education; Nelia Dell Evans of Wilmer and Mary Louise Rowan of Leeds, both graduates in clothing and textiles, and Robert B. Reeves of West Point, Ga., business administration.

Donald T. Slay is a forester with Sterling Lumber Co. at Goodwater. . . . Charles Milton Smith III is an industrial engineer with Capital Laundry and Dry Cleaners and Capital Linen Supply in Montgomery. His father, Charles M. Smith, Jr., '24, is president of the companies. . . . Donald E. Smith was commissioned an ensign in the Navy after completing OCS at Newport, R. I., in September. . . . Dr. Finous Hall Smith, veterinarian, is in the medical department of the U. S. Navy at Jacksonville, Fla., in finance and supply work. Lt. Smith had served in the Navy for 22 years before entering Auburn. Mrs. Smith and their two children, Sherry Norton, 9, and Larry Neil, 5½, are with Lt. Smith in Jacksonville.

Frank B. Smith, Jr., is a management trainee with Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Jean Sims Smith and their 10-month-old son, Frank III, are making their home in Bloomingdale, Ga. . . . Roberta Jane Smith teaches in a Mobile County junior high school. Her home is in Mobile. . . . Jane Sneed is employed at Fifth Avenue Hospital in Huntsville. She does general hospital work, including admissions and placements. . . . Ephraim Alexander Snoddy, Jr., is a pharmacist with Snellgrove Drug Co. in Gadsden.

Patricia Sprague teaches the third grade at Bush Elementary School in Birmingham. . . . Donald Rudolph Stallworth is general manager of DeVan Motor Co., Ford dealer, at Citronelle. . . . Travis Edwin Staub is a construction estimator with his father's construction company in Fulton, Miss., while awaiting orders to enter the Air Force as a second lieutenant. Mr. and Mrs. Staub have a daughter, Susan Gaither, who is 10-months-old. . . . John D. Stewart is manager of Jack Bailey's Service Station in Auburn.

Kenneth Burton Streeter is a salesman with Modine Manufacturing Co. in Atlanta. He makes his home in Decatur, Ga. . . . Jack B. Strong, Jr., a pharmacy graduate, is remaining at Auburn to complete requirements for entering medical school. . . . Annie L. Sullivan teaches at Central Park School in Birmingham. . . . Mrs. Gwendolyn Sue Carter Swingle has begun a year's dietetic internship with the Houston Veterans Administration Hospital, Houston, Tex. Her husband, Lt. Roger L. Swingle, '54, is stationed at Ellington Air Force Base in Houston.

Lt. Bailey M. Talbot, IV, of Troy has been graduated from the Infantry School's basic officers course at Fort Benning, Ga. . . . S. Wyatt Tarter is a pharmacist with Brown's Pharmacy in Ozark. . . . Joseph Jones Tew is an auditor with Radio Corporation of America at Camden, N. J. He is in the RCA-college relations division. . . .

Dr. Daniel M. Thomas is an instrument programmer with RCA Service Corp. at Patrick Air Force Base, Fla. Mrs. Thomas and their daughter, Patricia, are with him in Florida. . . . Carl David Todd is a semiconductor engineer with General Electric Co. at Syracuse, N. Y.

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Deaths: Kenneth E. Neal, 23-year-old senior in agricultural administration from Auburn, in a truck accident Oct. 2. He saw Army service in Korea, and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Auburn Methodist Church. Survivors include his parents, Dr. J. H. Neal of API's department of agricultural engineering, and Mrs. Neal; a brother, Harold Neal, all of Auburn; and a sister, Mrs. Barbara Neal Nordman, '49, Ann Arbor, Mich.